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WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS BUREAU GRANTS TEN AUTOMATED MARITIME TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS LICENSES

Auction No. 61

Report No. AUC-61-H (Auction No. 61)

On August 17, 2005, the Federal Communications Commission completed the auction of ten Automated Maritime Telecommunications System ("AMTS") licenses (Auction No. 61). On October 31, 2005, the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau announced that the long-form applications of the winning bidders in Auction No. 61 were accepted for filing. Upon further review, we find that the Auction No. 61 applications, listed in Attachment A to this Public Notice, are complete and in conformance with the Commission's Rules. Furthermore, the Commission has received full payment, as required by Section 1.2109(a) of its Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.2109(a), for the applications listed in Attachment A. We therefore find that grant of the applications listed in Attachment A serves the public interest, convenience, and necessity.

Accordingly, we grant the applications listed in Attachment A to this Public Notice pursuant to Section 309(a) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. § 309(a), and Section 0.331 of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 0.331.

This Public Notice includes the following Attachments:

Attachment A: The Applications the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau is Granting – sorted by Applicant.

Attachment B: Search Instructions for Applications Filed for Automated Maritime

¹ See Auction of Automated Maritime Telecommunications Systems Licenses Closes: Winning Bidders Announced for Auction No. 61, *Public Notice*, 20 FCC Rcd 9551 (WTB 2005).

² See Wireless Telecommunications Bureau Announces that Applications for Automated Maritime Telecommunications Systems Licenses Are Accepted for Filing, Public Notice, 20 FCC Rcd 17066 (WTB 2005).

Intelligent Transportation & Monitoring Wireless LLC and AMTS Consortium LLC requested Tribal Land Bidding Credits, but did not submit the requisite certifications. *See* 47 C.F.R. § 1.2110(f)(3)(ii). A request for waiver of the deadline for filing the certifications was denied on August 3, 2006. *See* Letter dated August 3, 2006 from Michael J. Wilhelm, Chief, Public Safety and Critical Infrastructure Division, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, to Warren Havens, President, Intelligent Transportation & Monitoring Wireless, LLC, and AMTS Consortium LLC. The applications are therefore granted without an award of Tribal Land Bidding Credits.

Telecommunications Service Auction No. 61.

Attachment C: Search Instructions for Granted Licenses for Automated Maritime Telecommunications Service Auction No. 61.

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